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- I think you both ought to weigh in on this issue.
- I have discovered several recent examples of the absence of institutional memory here, occasioned by reorganization and rapid turnover of personnel, being the cause of distrust between the Agency and the Congress.
- In fact, Ed and I have concluded that the root cause of almost all of our current difficulties is distrust: us of them in a security context; them of us in a information denial context.
- I'm asking, with regard to the attached exchange with OTA whether this is the smartest way to go.

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